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Subject: Fw: updated request :GAO report extension: comments now due COB Thursday 5/24.

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fyi- sorry about the confusion- Jeanne late yesterday just asked me to comment on the Pavillion part (which is short and very general) and I had let her know I had no comments on that (other than that the report release date was wrong). We both should have copied you, so my apologies.

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Please review the attached draft report. Please let me know if there are others you believe to be critical to giving this a good review.

Provide your comments by line number. Please pay special attention to generalities that have important exceptions, and provide text to indicate the allternatives/exceptions (since the statements here are intended as statements of fact). It is helpful if we can add references or citations to support our assertions.

Please send me your comments no later than COB Thursday 5/24, and cc: Hyon Kim. I will work with Hyon to compile ORD wide comments. We will provide the ORD wide comments for Ramona's review and appproval on Tuesday 5/29. ORD comments will be sent to the EPA liaison for GAO on Tuesday for cross agency synthesis. (to include Regions 6,8, other offices etc.)

Note: We expect to see this in a later version which is slated to include sections based on GAO interviews with other agencies, states, industry, NGOs etc. Expect to comment again at that point.

thanks for your assistance on this!

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Subject: URGENT re: GAO and Fracking at 1:00pm TODAY (the second meeting on Fracking today)

SENSITIVE Document ... DO NOT DISSEMINATE

We just received this document. It is the close out document from the GAO review of GAO Job Code 361350 Energy Resources and Risks Associated with Hydraulic Fracturing,

Please review it immediately and send me any comments/concerns BY COB today. We would like to have a single voice from ORD, and the regions, and to brief the 3rd floor before we respond to GAO.

I'm very sorry for the short turnaround. I just learned 5 minutes ago that the exit conference is currently scheduled for today scheduled for May 22, 2012, 1:00-2:00 pm. (ORD had not been informed about the meeting) We are trying to get a reasonable extension.

Thanks!

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